

PRIMARY ELECTION FOR ANDERSON TODAY

VOTING FROM 8 THIS MORN-
ING TO 4 THIS AFTERNOON

POLLING PRECINCTS

Full Ticket of Candidates For City
Offices and Places Where Bal-
loting Will Occur

Beginning at 8 o'clock this morning and continuing till 4 o'clock this afternoon the battle of ballots in the city democratic primary will be fought. This preliminary bout will decide which of the candidates will be elected or run in the second primary to be held one week from the first. It is said that there are about 1,300 qualified voters to make the choice. The results of the battle should be known by 6 o'clock this afternoon.

This has been a most interesting campaign, the interest increasing daily. Yesterday it had almost reached fever heat and many were the predictions of friends of this and that candidate as to who would win and reasons for this belief. The chief interest centers in the race for mayor. There are four candidates, and the friends of each are claiming victory.

The polling precincts of ward 1 to 5 will be in the court house, while that of ward 6 will be in the old school yard near the company store. The managers of election are asked to report at their respective precincts a little before 8 o'clock when the oaths of office will be administered and the boxes, club rolls, ballots, etc., will be turned over to them. It will not be necessary for them to report at the office of the chairman of the executive committee. The chairman has asked the executive committee from the six wards to report at their respective precincts to administer the oaths to the managers and to turn over the necessary matter for holding the election. These committees will meet in Mr. C. Cullen Sullivan's office at 7:30 a. m.

When the clock strikes 4 this afternoon the managers will proceed publicly to canvass the votes. A report to the executive committee will then be made, and this committee will meet immediately and declare the results. The ballots for the election were printed today. They carry the following names:

For mayor: W. F. Ashmore, E. E. Elmore, J. H. Godfrey, J. M. Payne.

For alderman ward 1: E. H. Ballentine, J. E. Barton, C. M. Guest, J. L. E. Jones.

For alderman ward 2: Walter Dobbin.

For alderman ward 3: H. H. Acker, B. F. Johnson, C. F. Spearman.

For alderman ward 4: K. E. Gilmer, J. H. Tate.

For alderman ward 5: J. H. Harbin, R. R. King.

For alderman ward 6: R. L. Carter, J. M. Fennell.

The rules adopted by the executive committee provide that a second primary, if one be necessary, will be held on Tuesday, June 23, one week later.

CIVIL COURT NOW IS IN SESSION

Crout-Hardy Land Case Is Before
Anderson Court of Common
Pleas For Trial

The summer term of the court of common pleas for Anderson county convened yesterday morning with Judge Reine presiding. The first case on the docket was that of Miss Laura C. Hardy versus J. D. Crout, concerning an agreement relative to the sale of a certain portion of land. This case was tried at the last term of court of common pleas and consumed about three days in the hearing, following which the jury failed to agree and a mistrial was ordered.

When the case was opened yesterday morning it was agreed to have the hearing with only 11 jurors and these were selected as follows:

J. H. Hutchinson, J. W. Johnson, J. T. Cunn, J. T. Milford, W. C. Austin, J. M. Knox, J. Reed Garrison, C. C. Dargatz, J. T. Clump, J. W. Cromer and H. F. McDaniel.

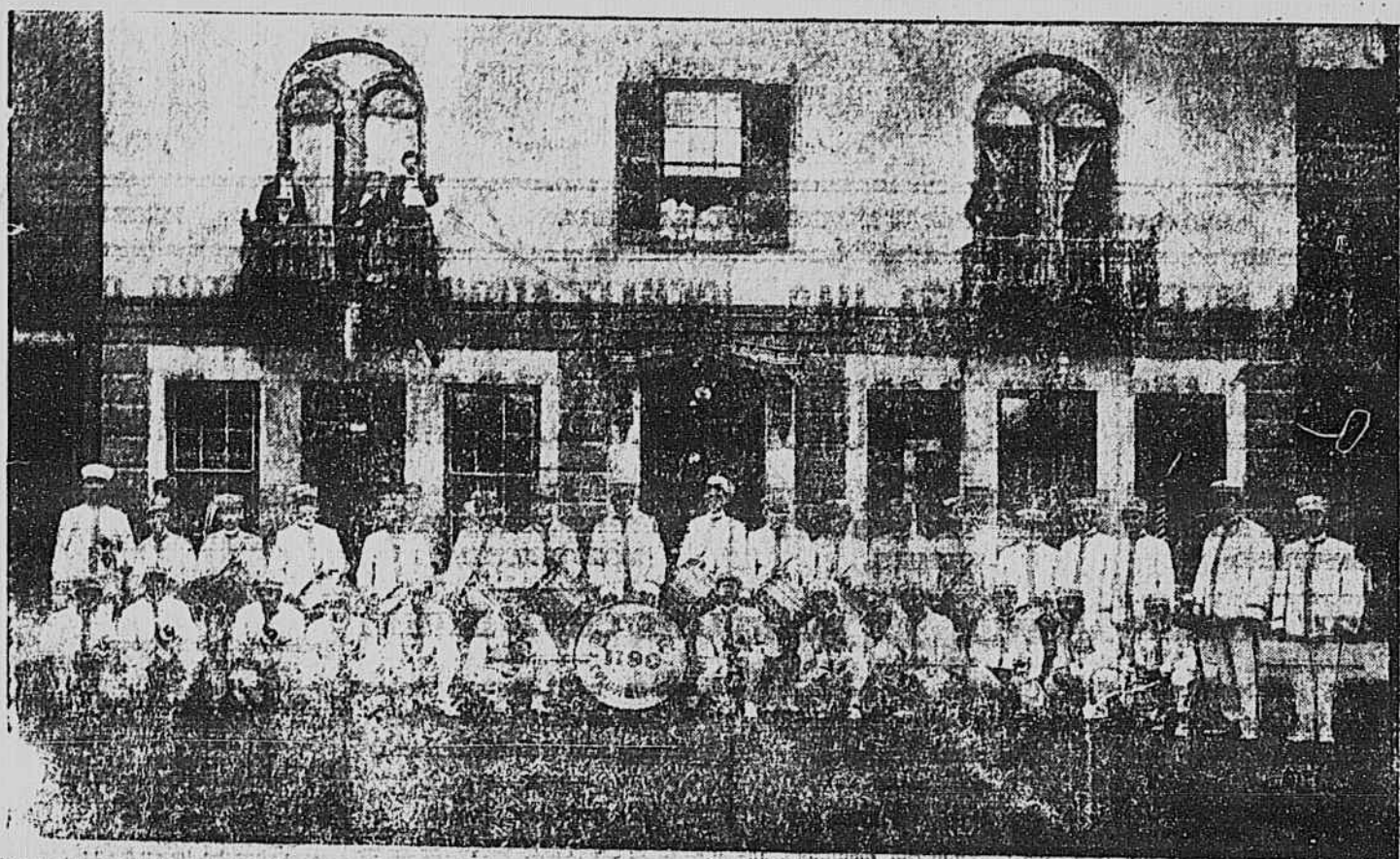
When the plaintiff introduced the sixth witness yesterday afternoon and called for the seventh it was found that this party was too unwell to attend court yesterday and as it was then 5 o'clock the presiding judge ordered an adjournment. The hearing will be resumed this morning and Judge Reine is in hopes that it may be possible to complete the case and put it in the hands of the jury before the hour of adjournment is reached this afternoon.

First Baptist Sunday School Picnic.

Owing to the fact that a Sunday school from Greenville will have a picnic at Williamston on Thursday and the space is not sufficient for both the First Baptist Sunday school picnic will be postponed until Friday, June 19. The same plans as would have been on Thursday will be carried out on Friday. The picnic meeting will be on Thursday evening, June 18.

A. L. Bluthers.

Mr. E. A. Crum who has been very ill at his home in Pendleton, is now much improved. He spent a very restful week at his home and the doctor has announced that he is a great deal better.



The drum corps from the local lodge No. 1190, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks received their uniforms several days ago and the first full dress parade was held yesterday afternoon. Owing to the fact that dark clouds threatened rain, at the moment the boys with the drum were compelled to content themselves with marching only a few blocks, after which they returned to the home on Hampton street in front of which they posed for the photograph from which the above cut was made.

State Convention.
The State convention of Elks meets

in Anderson next week and the Columbia lodge is planning to send about 10 members. A special train is being arranged to take the local Elks and others from lodges in nearby towns to the Electric City. The special will leave Columbia on the night of the 16th. The Pullman cars will be parked in the Anderson yards and the sleepers occupied during the convention.

The Elks drum corps made a highly creditable showing in their first parade. The organization has made rapid progress under A. J. Garing and J. W. Comstock. The president is W. H.

Burkhalter and the leader in Chas. J. Lynch.

The Columbia Elks will take "Black Bill" to the Anderson meeting. By way of explanation to those unacquainted with the party mentioned, it must be stated that "Bill" is a goat of considerable renown, having attended several previous meetings of Elks. Fruit stands are his specialty. He considers the cans dairy morsels. In the vernacular of the street, he is "some goat". He is now in the proud old state of Virginia, grazing in the valley where the grass is sweet. He will reach Columbia Monday or Tuesday.

The personnel of the drum corps is:

Charles J. Lynch, drum major.
Cornets—J. T. Harth, F. L. Brown, J. W. Comstock, John Lee Davis.
Trumpets—W. H. Burkhalter, J. J. Marshall, W. C. Williams, J. J. Hope, J. N. Ehrlich, J. D. Lowrance, J. K. Abram, J. B. Bell, J. W. Denny, J. C. Morrison, A. J. Garing.

Drums—E. Wald, A. L. Rawls, E. K. Post, J. A. Lyles, P. D. Drew, J. T. Sloan, J. S. Sloan, C. D. Davis, L. M. Semple, E. L. Fowler, J. M. Griffin, A. A. Richardson, A. E. Legare, H. A. Simon.

NEW LEAGUE OPENS THURSDAY, JUNE 25

GAFFNEY ENTERED ASSOCIATION AND ALL PLANS NOW COMPLETED

OFFICERS ELECTED

Anderson Opens At Greenville
and Spartanburg Will Open
in Gaffney—Rules Fixed

Instead of being a mere possibility for Anderson, league baseball is now an assured fact and on June 25, one week from next Thursday, four teams will get away in the Piedmont League. The announcement that the organization of the league has been effected will be welcome news to fans all around the circuit.

In accordance with the call issued some days ago for a meeting of the fans in Spartanburg Anderson yesterday sent three delegates to that city these being Porter A. Whaley, secretary of the Anderson Chamber of Commerce, F. M. Burnett, secretary of the Anderson Y. M. C. A. and Watson Bell of The Intelligencer staff.

The meeting was called to order in the Flinch Hotel yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock with W. M. Floyd of Spartanburg presiding. Mr. Stouch was the first manager to address the meeting and he assured his hearers that Greenville was ready and willing to enter the league; had a team ready to take the field and would hold up her end of any financial undertakings. He favored a 60 game schedule with restrictions so that all towns would get a square deal.

Porter A. Whaley of Anderson next addressed the meeting. He said that Anderson wanted baseball and is willing to support a league provided the teams would be so managed that no runaway race would take place. Dr. J. C. Creech of Gaffney was the next speaker and he said that Gaffney, if given a square deal would put a team in the field equal to any in the league. He said that Gaffney has all the money they had already in sight.

Report for Spartanburg W. M. Floyd said that his town was ready to enter the league and under the leadership of "Legs" Martin would have a strong aggregation to represent the "City of Success."

The next matter taken up was the selection of a president and a secretary. Ed. H. DeCamp of Gaffney, editor of the Gaffney Ledger and one of the best known baseball fans in the State, was unanimously elected president of the new league and Watson Bell, city editor of the Anderson Intelligencer, was elected secretary.

It was decided that the league should open on Thursday, June 25 with Anderson playing in Greenville and Spartanburg playing in Gaffney. The season will continue on Wednesday following Labor day and will be September 5. This will make a season of 68 games.

At the meeting yesterday it was agreed that no player would be allowed to participate in a game, should he have played as many as 25 games in any professional organization. It was further agreed that each club would give a guarantee of \$5 per game with a full guarantee of \$10, visitor to have the privilege of 50 per cent of the receipts.

One of the most important matters decided yesterday was that of the

fourth of July games. It was agreed that each town would have one game on this day. Spartanburg will play in Gaffney on the morning of the fourth, Gaffney playing in Spartanburg on that afternoon. Anderson will play in Greenville in the morning and Greenville will come here for the afternoon game.

It was decided that a meeting of the directors of the league, consisting of each town's president, the president and secretary and vice-president of the league, would take place in Greenville next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock to formally adopt a schedule. This meeting will be held at the Imperial hotel and the arrangements will all be completed at this meeting for the opening series of the league.

The last matter attended to before the adjournment of the meeting was the selection of W. M. Floyd of Spartanburg as vice-president of the league and the meeting came to a close. The following are those who attended the meeting: J. B. Ramsey, Legs Martin of Spartanburg; J. Gibbs Primrose, Dr. J. C. Creech, Dr. V. H. Lipscomb, L. S. Wood and J. F. Pincken of Gaffney; Thomas Stouch and W. M. Owens of Greenville; F. M. Burnett, Porter A. Whaley and Watson Bell of Anderson.

If there had been any doubt before this meeting concerning Gaffney's entering the league this doubt was dispelled at yesterday's meeting. Ed DeCamp's town succeeded in showing more ready money and more cash in hand than any other town in the circuit. They were up against a real cut and the Gaffney fans said that ball club when Gaffney takes a chance.

The league is certainly to start on Thursday week and it will be fast baseball. It will be conducted along conservative lines but the new league will prove equal in many respects to the old Carolina Association.

The Anderson team will leave this morning for a trip which will continue until the season opens here. The first game will be played this afternoon against Elberton, followed by a game at Lenoir and then the team will conclude their trip with a series in Athens, Ga. Then they will go to Greenville and open the season.

The league is now assured and it is up to Anderson fans to support it. That there will be fast baseball here this summer should be a matter of congratulation.

President Mauldin Back From Northern Trip.

President B. F. Mauldin, of the Bank of Anderson, returned yesterday from a business trip to New York, and Washington. Mr. Mauldin states that the money market of the north is a bit unsettled, but that the rates of interest are not as high as might be anticipated because of such conditions. Mr. Mauldin was gone several days and enjoyed the social features of his trip, having met with several friends in making their homes in this section.

Eradicating Cattle Tick.

The work of eradicating the cattle tick from South Carolina by means of an organization under the joint direction of the federal bureau of animal industry and Clemson College has been going on for some time. Dr. W. K. Lewis, inspector in charge, has practically completed his organization in the counties where work is to be done this year and the systematic, state-wide war on the tick is on.

PASSED UP LOCAL FIGHT IN SPEECH

REV. HARLEY DEVOTES ADDRESS TO STATE TOPIC

REVIEWED THE PAST

Anti-Saloon Man Told Andersonians of His Encounters With Forces Behind Rum

Rev. J. L. Harley, State superintendent of the anti-saloon league, addressed a mass meeting of men at the court house Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The court house was comfortably filled, and those present were fully repaid for having braved the heat. This address was of a high nature and the speaker did not deal with the local conditions except to express his belief that there were not enough names on the petition now being circulated here, to order the election, and even if it was ordered there would never be enough votes cast to carry it. The recent differences between Rev. Harley and Supervisor King were not referred to by Mr. Harley.

After a number of songs and prayer by Rev. S. W. Danner, pastor of the Orrville Methodist church, the speaker was introduced by Rev. J. W. Vines, pastor of the First Baptist church. Dr. Vines made a brief statement relative to the misunderstanding between Rev. Harley and Supervisor King, stating that he was with Rev. Harley when he went to see Supervisor King, and that it was only a misunderstanding. Dr. Vines also rounded a note of warning to the voters of the city. He said there was a candidate offering himself for mayor whose election would open wide the city, and defy the law of God and man. He thought it time for the good men of the city to be careful of the man for whom they vote, and he urged how they stand on these great questions before giving their support.

Mr. Harley began his address by stating that he was not here fighting men, but the business in which some were engaged. Although every one admitted the evils of this business, yet there were men who are afraid to come out openly and fight it, though they will make contributions for the cause of temperance. "Sometimes," said the speaker, "you will find a politician who will ever lie in connection with it."

The speaker said the company the liquor men keep is enough to keep decent folks away. Gamblers are in the lot, and every house of "ill fame in the State has a federal license to sell liquor." His reference to conditions in Charleston during the race track meet there was most interesting, and illustrated that the kind of people who are liquor men as a rule, are not desirable company. "You find liquor here and you will leave it here," was the argument often met, and it was answered, Mr. Harley with a story of the little boy who had a calf by the tail. His father called to him and told him he could not stop the calf. "Yes," said the boy, "I know that, but I can't stop it now." "This," said Mr. Harley, "is what we are doing with the liquor traffic. The navy goes dry July 1st, and so does West Virginia, as evidence of that fact."

The speaker charged the liquor interests with aligning themselves with the negro. He recalled his work in Dorchester county last year, where he was refused a chance to see the petition calling for the prohibition. He finally got a writ of mandamus from

the courts and was then furnished with a copy of the petition. He stated that on the St. George list of signers containing 90 names, 48 of them were negroes. The name was true of the other list over that county, and also in Orangeburg county. "When negroes aroused by the liquor interests to carry an election," exclaimed the speaker, "it is time to change company."

The mill people are said to carry the balance of power in South Carolina, and the speaker charged that a prominent politician had said that if they could be kept ignorant and drunk they could carry any election they pleased. The speaker in refuting this charge, paid a verbiage tribute, indeed to the mill vote of Greenville county, which gave a majority in favor of prohibition when called upon recently to vote on the question.

Closing with a prophecy that in five years there would be national prohibition, Mr. Harley recited what has been done by women voters to further the cause of the anti-saloon league. He said "If God hasn't got enough men to do the work, He has enough women to do it."

Denied Release on Bond.

Washington, June 15.—Harry K. Thaw today was denied release on bail pending consideration by the Supreme court of his extradition from New Hampshire to New York. The court likewise declined to grant the auxiliary request for Thaw to be taken to Pittsburgh in the custody of Sheriff Drew, of Coos county, New Hampshire, in whose custody he was placed by Judge Aldrich when the latter held the State of New York was not entitled to extradite Thaw to New York.

ANDERSON FIRM IS TO RETIRE

Osborne & Pearson Announce
That They Will Dispose of
Mammoth Stock

Thursday, June 18, is announced as the beginning of the end. The advertisements of Osborne & Pearson in this issue state clearly why this popular concern will retire from the mercantile business. For the past five months Mr. W. S. Osborne, senior member of the firm has been confined to his home and upon the advice of physicians has decided to give up the active life he has led for the past 28 years. Although retiring from business, Mr. Osborne is rapidly improving, and though not able to be at the store to perfect the closing details, he has directed all the affairs pertaining to the forthcoming sale. During the past 28 years, this popular firm has conducted business at the same old stand, but not in the same old way; as today it is one of the best known and most progressive establishments in upper Carolina. To lose such an enterprise is to be regretted by the entire community, and though the firm has been directed to close, the name of Osborne & Pearson will become history, the courteous treatment, honest dealing and straightforward methods of this firm will never be forgotten.

SHOOTING ENDED GAME

Negroes Quarreled Over Wagers and Serious Difficulties Ensued.
Jim Austin, a negro, was fined and sentenced by Magistrate Brewwell yesterday for carrying concealed weapons and for gambling, but when his term in prison expires, he will face the charge of assault with a deadly weapon. For carrying a revolver, Austin was required by the magistrate to pay \$50 or to serve thirty days on the roads. For gambling the fine was \$25 with the alternate thirty days labor. The negro will serve both the terms, as he was unable to pay the

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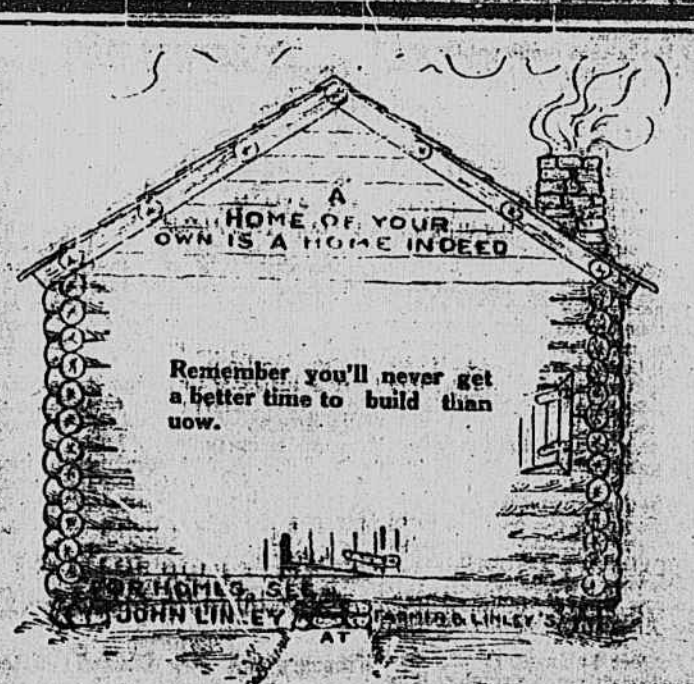
to match? Yes!

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FOR YOUR GUIDANCE

A report seems to have gone out that on account of the low water of the Savannah river there is some uncertainty as to whether crossing can be accomplished with promptness. This is to inform the public that service has not been interrupted at CRAFT'S Ferry. The roads are good and prompt, courteous and efficient treatment is always found. A new flat was installed last year and there is never a complaint about the landings.

Don't hesitate to recommend to your friends to take the left at Jones' (Holland's) Store and go by Craft's Ferry as it is only one mile farther and perfect satisfaction is assured day or night, or no charge. Craft's Ferry is the best route ALL THE TIME.



Material is good and dry at this season of the year. And remember too, that regardless of price, you'll never find a more desirable place to live than North Anderson.

Honor For Roosevelt

London, June 15.—A luncheon in honor of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt was given today by Sir Edward Gray, British foreign secretary. The guests included Premier Asquith, David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, Lewis Harcourt, secretary for the colonies, Viscount Bryce, former British ambassador at Washington, and Sir Cecil Spring Rice, present British ambassador to the United States.